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## PREFACE.

THE following Bibliography of Cumberland and Westmorland, and Lancashire North-of-the-Sands Dialect Literature has been compiled with a view of preserving and bringing up to date a list of the books and fugitive pieces that have been printed and published.

The Bibliographies of Cumberland and Westmorland Dialect Literature that have already been attempted previous to this are (1) John Russell Smith's "A Bibliographical List of the works that have been published towards illustrating the Provincial Dialects of England," London, 1839. This pamphlet contains notices of eighteen editions of nine books in the Cumberland Dialect, and five books in the Westmorland dialect ; and (2) the List published by the English Dialect Society as prepared by the late Wm. Jackson, F.S.A., of St. Bees, and afterwards printed in the second volume of his "Cumberland and Westmorland Papers and Pedigrees." Edited by his wife. London, 1892.

It would be an endless task to attempt to enumerate the various dialect pieces that have appeared in the newspapers of Cumberland and Westmorland, and in "Notes and Queries," but as many as have come under my notice I have set out in detail.

The Dialect Literature of Westmorland is not nearly so extensive as that of Cumberland, but the books in the latter dialect circulate largely in the County of

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Westmorland. Mrs. Wheeler's Dialogues are admirable specimens of the Southern part of Westmorland. Clarke's "T' Reysh Beearin," &c., of the Appleby dialect, and Southey's "Terrible Knitters e' Dent" of the Western Border and Langdale Dialect.

The Dialect of these two counties, it is said, changes with each mile, and the language is difficult of understanding by people living six miles apart.

The subject of this small publication is one in which from its nature only a limited interest can be felt. But I venture to think that the more contributions of the kind published the soquer we shall realise the ideal, so long suggested by the Bibliographical Society, of a comprehensive National Bibliography.

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## PART I.

## GLOSSARIES AND DICTIONARIES DEALING WITH THE DIALECTS OF CUMBERLAND AND WESTMORLAND, AND

### LANCASHIRE NORTH-OF-THE-SANDS.

BAILEY (N.). AN UNIVERSAL ETYMOLOGICAL ENGLISH DICTIONARY : comprehending the derivations of the generality of words in the English tongue..; also the dialects of our different counties. 8vo. London : 1721.

	ib.	1724.
3rd edition,	ib.	1726.
4th edition,	ib.	1728.

Many other editions of this Dictionary were published between 1728 and 1782, the last mentioned was "carefully enlarged and corrected by E. Harwood, D.D."

BELL (J. GRAY). A GLOSSARY OF PROVINCIAL WORDS used in the County of Cumberland. 12mo. London: 1851. pp. 19.

Only 60 copies printed.

BOUCHER (Rev. JONATHAN) 1738-1804. A SUPPLE-MENT TO Dr. JOHNSON'S DICTIONARY OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE, or a Glossary of Obsolete and Provincial Words, by the late Rev. Jonathan Boucher. Part I. 4to. London: 1807.

> The Rev. Jonathan Boucher died before any portion of his Dictionary was printed. Under the superintendence of his friend, Sir F. Morton Eden, the first portion containing the letter A was published in London in 1807, but no more was printed. It was again announced for publication under the editorship of the Rev. Joseph Hunter and Joseph Stevenson. Esq., in numbers at intervals of two months, an engagement never performed, for the first number appeared in 1832, and the second in 1833; the work was left unfinished.

> Sir F. Morton Eden was the author of a playful satire entitled "The Vision," a poem addressed to the late Rev. Jonathan Boucher, London, 1828. A note on page 6 of this poem gives some idea of the spirit in which the poem was written :—"The learned Glossarist has incontrovertably proved that this great personage (*i.e.* Auld Nick) is no other than the northern Saint Nicholas. Indeed so tenacious is he of his Saint's pre-eminence, that he places him in the van of his Glossary; and Auld Nick must be looked for under the letter A; and not under the letter N."

- BOUCHER (Rev. JONATHAN). GLOSSARY OF AR-CHAIC AND PROVINCIAL WORDS, a Supplement to the Dictionaries of the English Languages, particularly those of Drs. Johnson and Webster. Edited jointly by the Rev. Joseph Hunter and Joseph Stevenson. 4to. London: 1832-3.
- BROCKETT (JOHN TROTTER). A GLOSSARY OF NORTH COUNTRY WORDS IN USE, from an original MS. in the Library of John George Lambton, with considerable additions. 8vo. Newcastle: 1825.
- BROCKETT (JOHN TROTTER). A GLOSSARY OF NORTH COUNTRY WORDS IN USE, with

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their etymology and affinity to other languages, and occasional notices of Local Customs and Popular Superstitions. Cr. 8vo. Newcastle : 1829. pp. 343. -3rd edition, 2 vols. 8vo. Newcastle : 1846.

COOKE (G. A.) TOPOGRAPHICAL AND STATIS-TICAL DESCRIPTION OF CUMBERLAND. 8vo. London. 4/-.

Contains a list of provincial terms used in Cumberland.

- CROWTHER (GEORGE, of Carlisle). A GLOSSARIAL CONCORDANCE TO THE CUMBERLAND BALLADS OF ROBERT ANDERSON, wherein all the most peculiar words are explained, and illustrative examples given from the writings of the Cumberland Bard. In MS.
- DICKINSON (WILLIAM). A GLOSSARY OF THE WORDS AND PHRASES OF CUMBERLAND. Cr. 8vo. Whitehaven : 1859. 2/-

Contains a Dialect Poem entitled "The Words of Oald Cummerlan."

DICKINSON (WILLIAM). A SUPPLEMENT TO THE GLOSSARY OF THE WORDS AND PHRASES OF CUMBERLAND, with illustrative examples. 12mo. Whitehaven: 1867. pp. 43.

Both of the above books were republished by the English Dialect Society, in 1878 and 1879 respectively, and an additional Supplement by the same Society in 1881.

DICKINSON (WILLIAM). A GLOSSARY OF THE WORDS AND PHRASES PERTAINING TO THE DIALECT OF CUMBERLAND, re-arranged, illustrated, and augmented by quotations, by E. W. Prevost, with short digest of the Phonology, and Grammar of the Dialect, by S. D. Brown, B.A. 8vo. London and Carlisle [1900]. pp. 489. 10/-.

For supplement to the above see under Prevost, E. W.

DUCKWORTH (WM.) and MACPHERSON (Rev. H. C.) See Macpherson.

ELLWOOD (Rev. THOMAS, Rector of Torver). LAKE-LAND AND ICELAND. A Glossary of Words in the Dialect of Cumberland, Westmorland, and North Lancashire, which seem allied to or identical with the Icelandic or Norse, together with cognate Placenames and Surnames, and a Supplement of words used in Shepherding, Folk-lore and Antiquities. 8vo. London : 1895.

> Also published by the English Dialect Society in 1897. 8vo. 5/-. pp. 96.

ELLWOOD (Rev. THOMAS). THE LANDNAMA BOOK OF ICELAND, as it illustrates the Dialect, &c. of Cumberland, Westmorland, and North Lancashire. 8vo. Kendal: 1894. pp. 69.

See also under Transactions and in Part II. under Ellwood.

FERGUSON (ROBERT, of Morton, Carlisle). THE NORTHMEN IN CUMBERLAND AND WEST-MORLAND. Carlisle: 1856. 8vo. pp. ii., 228 5/-.

Contains a list of Cumberland words of Scandinavian origin. pp. 167-225.

- FERGUSON (ROBERT). THE DIALECT OF CUM-BERLAND, with a Chapter on its Place-Names. Cr. 8vo. Carlisle: [1873]. pp. xi., 230. 5/-.
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- GROSE (FRANCIS). A GLOSSARY OF PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL WORDS USED IN ENGLAND, to which is now incorporated the supplement by Samuel Pegge. London: 1839. Cr. 8vo. 4/6.
- HALLIWELL (JAMES ORCHARD). A DICTIONARY OF ARCHAIC AND PROVINCIAL WORDS, OB-SOLETE PHRASES AND ANCIENT CUS-TOMS FROM THE 14th CENTURY. 2 vols. London: [1846]. 8vo. 15/-.
- 5th edition. London : 1865. 2 vols. 8vo.
  6th edition. London : 1868. 2 vols. 8vo. 15/-.
  7th edition. London : 1872. 2 vols. 8vo.
  new edition. 1873-8. 2 vols. 8vo. 15/-.
  Ioth edition. 1887. 2 vols. 15/-.

Other editions have been published but have not come under the Author's notice.

- HALLIWELL (JAMES ORCHARD). AN HISTORICAL SKETCH OF THE PROVINCIAL DIALECTS OF ENGLAND . . . extracted from the above Dictionary. 8vo. London : 1847.
- HODGSON (Rev. JOHN, Vicar of Hartburn). A GLOSS-ARY OF NORTH COUNTRY WORDS. In MS.
- KIRKBY (B., of Batley, Yorks.). LAKELAND WORDS. A collection of Dialect Words and Phrases, as used in Cumberland and Westmorland, with Illustrated Sentences in the North Westmorland Dialect. Preface by Prof. Joseph Wright, M.A., Ph.D. Cr. 8vo. Kendal: 1898. pp. 168. 2/6.

See also the *Penrith Observer*, Nov. 1897 to June 1898 for List of Lakeland Words by same author.

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Contains a Glossary of Names of Birds used in Cumberland.

MACPHERSON (Rev. H. C.) and DUCKWORTH (WM.). A VERTEBRATE FAUNA OF LAKELAND, including Cumberland and Westmorland, with Lancashire North of the Sands. 8vo. Edinburgh: 1892. pp. 552.

Contains List of Local Names.

MORRIS (J. P.). A GLOSSARY OF THE WORDS AND PHRASES OF FURNESS, with illustrative quotations, principally from the old Northern Writers. London and Carlisle : 1869. Cr. 8vo. pp. xvi., 114. 3/6.

NICOLSON (Bishop). See under Walcott.

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- RAY (JOHN). A COLLECTION OF ENGLISH WORDS, NOT GENERALLY USED, with their significations and original, in two alphabetical catalogues. 12mo. London: 1674. pp. 160.
- ——2nd edition. London : 1691.

Also published by the English Dialect Society, 1874, edited by the Rev. W. W. Skeat.

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  - Vol. III.—Pages 381 and 385. Article entitled "Numerals formerly used for Sheep-scoring in the Lake Country," two parts, by Rev. T. Ellwood. 1877.
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- TRANSACTIONS OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSO-CIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF LITERATURE AND SCIENCE.
  - Part I.—Page 50. "The Cumberland Dialect," by John Richardson. 1875.
  - Part VIII.—Page 83. "The Language of Lakeland, &c.," by Rev. T. Ellwood, B.A. 1882.
  - Part XVI.—Page 95. "The Story of Gough and his Dog," by the Rev. Canon Rawnsley, M.A. 1890.
- WALCOTT (Rev. MACKENZIE E. C., of Chichester). GLOSSARY OF WORDS IN THE CUMBRIAN DIALECT. 8vo. 25 pp.

Reprinted from the *Transactions* of the Royal Society of Literature, vol. ix., N.S., part 2. pp. 303-323. 1868.

This is probably the collection of 327 words taken from a MS. in the Chapter Library of Carlisle, entitled "Glossaricum Brigantinum collectore Guil. Nicolson, Coll. Reg. Oxon. A.B. 1677."

- WILLIAMSON (W. A.). LOCAL ETYMOLOGY; or Names of Places in the British Isles, and in other Parts of the World, explained and illustrated, with notices of Surnames and Obsolete Words. Carlisle: 1849. 12mo. 2/6.
- WRIGHT (JOSEPH) Editor. THE ENGLISH DIALECT DICTIONARY, being the complete vocabulary of all Dialect Words still in use, or known to have been in use during the last two hundred years, with Supplement and Bibliography. London: 1896-1905. 6 vols. 4to.  $f_{\rm s}$ 15 15s.
- WRIGHT (JOSEPH). THE ENGLISH DIALECT GRAMMAR, comprising the Dialects of England, &c., &c. Oxford and London : 1905. 4to. 15/-

- WRIGHT (THOMAS). DICTIONARY OF OBSOLETE AND PROVINCIAL ENGLISH, containing words from the English Writers previous to the 19th Century, which are no longer in use, or are not used in the same sense, and words which are now used only in the Provincial Dialects. [In Bohn's Philological and Philosophical Library]. Cr. 8vo. London: 1852. 2 vols. 5/- each.
- WRIGHT (THOMAS) *Editor*. A VOLUME OF VOCAB-ULARIES ILLUSTRATING THE CONDITION AND MANNERS OF OUR FOREFATHERS; as well as the History of the Forms of Elementary Education and of the Languages spoken in this Island, 10th to 15th Centuries. 2 vols. Privately printed. 1857.



# PART II.

## LIST OF BOOKS WHOLLY OR IN PART IN THE DIALECT OF

## CUMBERLAND AND WESTMORLAND, AND

## LANCASHIRE NORTH-OF-THE-SANDS.

1.—ACKERMAN (R.). A PICTURESQUE TOUR OF THE ENGLISH LAKES, containing a description of the most Romantic Scenery of Cumberland, Westmorland and Lancashire, with accounts of Antient and Modern Manners and Customs, &c. London: 1821. Royal 4to. pp. 288.

Contains specimens of Cumberland Dialect with Glossary at page 286.

- 2.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). POEMS ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS. Carlisle: 1798. pp. 228.
- 3.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). BALLADS IN THE CUMBERLAND DIALECT, with Notes and a Glossary. Carlisle : 1805. pp. 174.
- 4.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). POETICAL WORKS OF, with Life of the Author and Essay on the Character, Manners and Customs of the Peasantry of Cumberland, by Thos. Sanderson. Carlisle : 1820. 2 vols. pp. 504.

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- 5.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). BALLADS IN THE CUMBERLAND DIALECT, by Robert Anderson and others, with Notes and Remarks on the Manners and Customs of the Cumberland Peasantry, to which is added the Borrowdale Letter. Carlisle: 1823. pp. 84.
- 6.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). BALLADS IN THE CUMBERLAND DIALECT, by Robert Anderson, with Notes and a Glossary, and an Essay on the Manners and Customs of the Cumberland Peasantry, by Thos. Sanderson. 12mo. Carlisle: 1828. pp. 166.
  - ——With life of the Author. Carlisle : 1864. pp. 224.
  - ——Carlisle: 1866. pp. 174.

7.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). CUMBERLAND BAL-LADS of Robert Anderson, with Autobiography, Notes and Glossary. *Edited* by Sidney Gilpin. Carlisle: 1866. pp. 174. 2/-

——Carlisle : 1871. 12mo. pp. 176. 2/-——Carlisle : 1893. pp. 176.

 ANDERSON (ROBERT). BALLADS IN THE CUMBERLAND DIALECT, chiefly by Robert Anderson, with Notes and Glossary ; the remainder by various authors. Cockermouth : 1870. 18mo. pp. 220.

——Wigton: 1808. 12mo. pp. 258.

This edition is often labelled *scarce* and contains twenty two of Anderson's Ballads, and a few others by various authors, never before published.

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- 9.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). CUMBERLAND BAL-LADS, carefully compiled from the Author's MS., containing over one hundred pieces never before published, with Memoir, Notes, Glossary, &c., to which is prefixed several other Songs by various authors. Wigton : N.D. pp. 138.
- ANDERSON (ROBERT). POPULAR SONGS, selected from his Works, calculated to enliven the Mind and exhilarate the Spirits in difficult Times. Wigton: 32mo. 1811. pp. 75.
  - -----With Glossary and Biographical Sketch. Wigton : 1834.
- 11.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). CUMBERLAND BAL-LADS, with Autobiography, Notes and Glossary. *Edited* by Sidney Gilpin. Carlisle : 1881. Cr. 8vo. pp. 176. 1/-.
- 12.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). BALLADS IN THE CUMBERLAND DIALECT, with Notes descriptive of the Manners and Customs of the Cumberland Peasantry, with Glossary and Life. Alnwick. 24mo. pp. 224.
- 13.—ANDERSON (ROBERT). CUMBERLAND BAL-LADS AND SONGS. *Edited* with life of Anderson and Notes by Rev. T. Ellwood, M.A., Rector of Torver. Glossarial Concordance by George Crowther. Centenary Edition. Ulverston: 1904. Cr. 8vo. pp. xxiv., 351.
- 14.—ANDREWS (WM.) *Editor*. NORTH COUNTRY POETS. Poems and Biographies of Natives or Residents of Cumberland, Westmorland, &c. London: 1889. 2 vols.

15.—BARBER (Rev. HENRY, M.D., F.S.A.) FURNESS NOTES.

Contains some lists of words and place-names. ——See also Piketah, Roger.

- 16.—BARBER (S.). BENEATH HELVELLYN'S SHADE. Notes and Sketches. Cr. 8vo. 1892. 4/6. Contains Dialect Poems from W. Dickinson's "Cumbriana"
- 17.—BIGG (JOHN STANYAN). SHIFTING SCENES, and other Poems. London: 1862. pp. 172.

Contains "Yan or two lile bits in T'Furness Dialect." "Auld Ganfadder Jones," "T'Auld Man," and "Lile Polley."

18.—BIGG (JOHN STANYAN). ALFRED STAUNTON: a Novel. [1861]. pp. 354.

> Contains many sketches in the Furness Dialect. For Dialect Poem by this Author see Casson's "A few Furness Worthies." Ulverston: 1889.

- 19.—BLAMIRE (SUSANNAH). THE MUSE OF CUM-BERLAND: Poctical Works now for the first time collected by Henry Lonsdale, with Preface, Memoir and Notes by Patrick Maxwell. Edinburgh: 1842. 12mo. pp. 262. 5/6.
- 20.—BLAMIRE (SUSANNAH). SONGS AND POEMS, together with Songs by her Friend Miss Gilpin. *Edited* by Sidney Gilpin. Carlisle : 1866. Cr. 8vo. pp. 184. 2/6.

Miss Blamire died April 5th, 1794, and her bosom friend and literary coadjutor Miss Catherine Gilpin, on April 29th, 1511. They were therefore amongst the very first writers of the Cumberland Dialect.

In Lonsdale's "Worthies of Cumberland," London, 1873, pages 41-107, there is a life of Miss Blamire and a new Dialect piece of hers entitled "The Reconciliation."

- 21.—BLEZARD (T., formerly of Ings, near Windermere). ORIGINAL WESTMORLAND SONGS, chiefly relating to Scenes and Incidents in the Districts of Kendal and Windermere, with Notes and Glossary. Part I. Kendal: 1868. 12mo. pp. 48 and viii.
- 22.—BOLTON (JOHN). THE ULVERSTON PER-PETUAL TIDE TABLE, or an explanation of the rules for calculating the Moon's age, time of high water, &c. Ulverston. pp. 32.

Contains a conversation in the Furness Dialect between a Low Furness Farmer and a Townsman.

23.—BOLTON (JOHN). GEOLOGICAL FRAGMENTS, collected principally from Rambles among the Rocks of Furness and Cartmel. Ulverston : 1869. pp. 264.

Contains Sketches in the Furness and Cumberland Dialects.

24.—[BOWNESS (WM.)]. RUSTIC STUDIES IN THE WESTMORLAND DIALECT, with other Scraps from the Sketch Book of an Artist. London [Kendal printed] : 1868. 12mo. pp. 155.

> See also "Specimens of Westmorland Dialect," Part I. Most of the Dialect Pieces originally appeared in the Kendal Mercury.

25.—A BRAN NEW WARK, by WILLIAM DE WOR-FAT [The Rev. Wm. Hutton, Rector of Beetham], containing a true calendar of his thoughts concerning good Nebberhood, naw first printed, fra his MS. for the use of the Hamlet of Woodland. [In the provincial Dialect of Kendal] with Glossary. Kendal: [1785]. 12mo. pp. 42.

Only 50 copies printed.

The first title is "A Plain Address, written in the provincial Dialect of the Barony of Kendal." It is very scarce but there is a copy in the Bibliotheca Jacksoniana in Tullie House, Carlisle.

See also Publications of the English Dialect Society, 1879, for Reprint of above. *Edited* by Prof. the Rev. W. W. Skeat.

BRIGGS (A. J. F.). See Lonsdale Magazine.

26.—BRIGGS (JOHN), sometime Editor of The Lonsdale Magazine and Westmorland Gazette. REMAINS OF, containing Letters from the Lakes, Westmorland as it was, &c., to which is added a sketch of his life. Kirkby Lonsdale : 1825. Cr. 8vo. pp. 408. 9/-

> The "Letters from the Lakes" contain much conversation in Cumberland, Westmorland and Furness Dialects.

27.—BROWN (JAMES WALTER). LYRICS & SONGS. Carlisle : 1893.

> There are three Poems in the Cumberland Dialect in this book with a Glossary. Titles: "Peggy Gill," "True Luive," "By Cauda Seyde."

28.—BURN (PETER). ENGLISH BORDER BAL-LADS. Contains two pieces in the Dialect of Brampton entitled "T'Auld Wife's Reasons," and "T'Hen Egg for T'Duck 'en." Carlisle : 1874. 12mo. 1/- and 2/6. pp. 122.

-----Enlarged edition. 1871. 1/-

-----2nd edition. Carlisle: 1885. Post 8vo. 6/-.

29.—BURN (PETER). FIRESIDE CRACK: "T-Tek-A," "Lucky Beeàn," and "Drinkie Eye." Stories in the Brampton Dialect. London & Carlisle: 1879. Small 4to. pp. 16. Price 2d.

——2nd edition. Carlisle : 1886. pp. 24.

This edition contains also "The Village Belles."

- 30.—BURN (PETER). ROSENTHAL, a North Country Tale. Carlisle : 1891. 2/6.
- 31.—[BURROUGHS (J. of Irton)]. THE MUNCASTER BOGGLE. Whitehaven : 1870. 12m<sup>-1</sup>. pp. 8.

- 32.—[BURROUGHS (J. of Irton)]. WILLY WATTLE'S MUDDER (by a Tourist). Whitehaven : 1870. 12mo. pp. 8.
- 33.—CAINE (HALL). THE SHADOW OF A CRIME. London: 1885. 3 vols. 8vo. 31/6.

John Richardson corrected the Cumberland Dialect used in this Book.

- 34.—CAINE (HALL). A SON OF HAGAR. London: 1886. 3 vols. 8vo. 31/6.
- 35.—CAREY (ROSA NOUCHETTE). HERIO I'S CHOICE, a novel. London: 1879. 3 vols. 31/6.

Contains Dialect Words, Ancient Sayings and Tales of Westmorland People.

- 36.—[CARR (JOSEPH)] 1813-1899. SKETCHES OF VILLAGE LIFE, by "Eavesdropper." Lancaster: 1869.
- 37.—CHRISTIAN (JOHN). A WHITEHAVEN SAILOR LAD IN LONDON, AND THE MASON'S GHOST STORY.

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#### 38.—CLARK (EWAN). MISCELLANEOUS POEMS. Whitehaven: 1779. pp. 317.

This volume contains five pieces in the Cumberland Dialect. For a Poem by this Author not included in this volume see Hutchinson's "History of Cumberland," vol. 2, p. 476, entitled "A Satirical Ballad in the Cumberland Dialect," sung at the Cumberland County Meeting, held in London, April 14th, 1785.

39.—CLARKE (JAMES, of Penrith). A SURVEY OF THE LAKES OF CUMBERLAND, WEST-MORLAND, AND LANCASHIRE, together with an Account, Historical, Topographical and Descriptive of the Adjacent County, to which is added a sketch of the Border Laws and Customs. Penrith: 1787. Folio. pp. 193.

——2nd edition. London : 1789.

In this work, pp. 76-81, first appeared "The copy of a letter wrote by a Young Shepherd of Borrowdale, at his return from Dublin to one of his acquaintances." [The Borrowdale Letter].

40.—CLARKE (Rev. THOMAS). TOMMY WOKER'S ACCOUNT OF T' REYSH BEEARIN, AND JONNY SHIPPARD'S JOURNA TA LUNNAN. Kendal: 1864. 12mo.

See also Specimens of Westmorland Dialect.

First appeared in the Westmorland Gazette, Jan. 20th, 1863, and has often been reprinted.

### 41.—CLOSE (J.). BOOK OF CHRONICLES, TALES OF WESTMORLAND. 1842. 12mo. 3/6.

42.—CLOSE (J.). TALES AND LEGENDS OF WESTMORLAND. *Edited* by Titus Stubbs. Kirkby Stephen: 1863. 8vo. pp. xvi., and 144. 2/6.

43.—CLOSE, (J.) LIFE AND EVERYDAY SCENES AT THE LAKES (a record of the days we live in). Kirkby Stephen : 1873. Cr. 8vo. pp. 8o. 1/6 and 2/6.

"Close issued many paper tracts and pamphlets of metrical balderdash between 1830 and his death in 1891."

- 44.—COLLINGWOOD (W. G.). THE BONDWOMAN : a story of the Northmen in Lakeland. Kendal : 1896. Demy 16mo. 1/-
- 45.—COLLINGWOOD (W. G.). THORSTEIN OF THE MERE: a Saga of the Northmen in Lakeland. Kendal: 1895. Demy 8vo. 2/-
- 46.—COWPER (H. SWAINSON). HAWKSHEAD (the Northernmost Parish of Lancashire) its History, Archæology, Industries, Folk Lore, Dialect, &c. London: 1899. Royal 8vo. 30/-
- 47.—A CUMBERLAND MARE'S NEST (a story founded on fact) by A.R.W. (of Keswick) in *Cornhill Magazine*, July, 1861, pp. 102-5.

A Poem on the discovery of the bones of a lamb, but supposed by the Lorton Wiseacres to be those of an illegitimate child, whose mother "went away for mony weeks." The result of the Cockermouth's Doctor's examination may be best given in his own words :—

"And so your master can't decide " (He cried, while tears ran down his cheeks) " that this is not infanticide ! Why if these are an infant's bones—(from all such births deliver us.) Look at these teeth ! it must have been an infant graminivorous ! The spinal vertebræ, too, prove (or else they *nothing* indicate !) This marvellous infant had a *tail* ! as I'm prepared to vindicate ! In short, you Lorton Wiseacres, on coming to examine it, Have found a regular Mare's Nest, and 'stead of Eggs, a *Lamb* in it ! "

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——Whitehaven : N.D. Small 4to. pp. 12.

50.—DICKINSON (WM.). THE SONG OF SOLOMON in the Dialect of Central Cumberland, from the authorized English version. [Londres] : 1859. pp. 20.

(250 copies printed for Prince Louis Lucien Bonaparte).

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- 52.—DICKINSON (WM.). CUMBERLAND FARM LIFE. Memorandums of Old Times [to which is added "Cross-Yats Boggle, which always fore-set folk"]. Whitehaven : 1869. Small 8vo. pp. 23.
- 53.—[DICKINSON (WM.)]. A "TAIL" FOR JOE AND THE GEOLOGIST, by Another Hand, to which is added two Poems entitled "Scallow Beck Boggle" and "Merry Charley." Whitehaven : [1866]. Small 8vo. pp. 8.
- 54.—DICKINSON (WM.). CUMBRIANA, or Fragments of Cumbrian Life. Whitehaven : 1875. 12mo. pp. 295. 5/-.

Specimens of Dialect from this Book will also be found in Barber's "Beneath Helvellyn's Shade." 1892.

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  - -----2nd edition, Keswick and Cockermouth : 1870. Small 8vo. pp. 13. 2d.
  - ——to which is added Ritson's Borrowdale Letter, Graham's A Pastoral Dialogue, and a Glossary. Keswick and Cockermouth : 1875. Small 4to. pp. 12. 2d.
- 56.—ECHOES OF THE LAKES & MOUNTAINS; or wonderful things in the Lake District, (being a Companion to the Guides) embracing :—Antiquities—Romantic Legends—Phenomenal Marvels— Graves and Epitaphs—Optical Illusions and Marvellous Echoes—Picturesque Spots and Places— Eccentric Characters—New and Old Records and Anecdotes of the illustrious men and women who have made it their home, by an "Antiquarian, Guide, Philosopher and Friend." London : N.D. Cr. 8vo. pp. 160.

Contains very little Dialect.

ELLWOOD (Rev. THOMAS). See Part I., and Transactions of Cumberland and Westmorland Association for the Advancement of Literature and Science 1882 and 1885.

57.—FARRALL (THOS. Of Aspatria). BETTY WIL-SON'S CUMMERLAND TEALS. Carlisle: 1876.
12mo. (Reprinted from West Cumberland Times).
Other editions, published 1891 and 1892, 1/- each, marked 3rd and 4th editions respectively.

- 58.—FOTHERGILL (JOHN M., formerly of Morland). GAYTHORNE HALL; a novel. London: 1884. Contains many West Ward of Westmorland Dialect Words.
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63.—[GIBSON (ALEX. CRAIG.]. BRANTHET NEUK BOGGLE, a Teahl for a Winter Neeght.

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3rd edition. Carlisle : 1873.
4th edition. Carlisle : 1880.
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> Reprinted from the Transactions of the Historic Society of Lancashire and Cheshire, vol. xiii. Liverpool : 1861.

66.—GIBSON (THOS., M.D., J.P.). LEGENDS AND HISTORICAL NOTES ON PLACES IN THE EAST AND WEST WARDS, WESTMOR-LAND. Climate, &c. Manchester : 1877. 67.—GIBSON (THOS., M.D., J.P.). LEGENDS AND HISTORICAL NOTES ON PLACES OF NORTH WESTMORLAND. London and Appleby: 1887. 2/6.

Contains a Glossary and some Dialect Pieces.

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> "Gwordy and Will" is also printed at the end of the "Life of Hatfield," the Keswick impostor, printed at Cockermouth. N.D. Also with the Keswick edition of the Borrowdale Letter, 1879.

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- 75.—GREENUP (GWORDIE). CUMBRIAN RHYMES, a series of stories and Scraps in Dialect Verse. Workington: 1876. pp. 24.
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- 82.—HOGGARTH (JAMES, of Kendal). EVENING STRAINS AND PARLOUR PASTIMES. Kendal: 1880. Small 8vo. pp. 178.

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84.—HUTCHINSON (W.). THE HISTORY OF THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND AND SOME PLACES ADJACENT, &c. Carlisle : 1794. 2 vols. 4to.

Contains a Glossary of Antiquated Words occurring in the work.

85.—JACKSON (Rev. J. DODD). "'TWIXT MOOR AND MEAD." London.

Contains a considerable number of Dialect Words.

86.—[JOLLIE (F.)]. JOLLIE'S SKETCH OF CUM-BERLAND MANNERS AND CUSTOMS, partly in the Provincial Dialect, in prose and verse, with a Glossary. Carlisle : 1811. 12mo. pp. iv., 48.

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- 88.—KIRKBY (BRYHAM, of Batley). WESTMORLAND IN WORDS, being Sketches of Westmorland Folks, Racy Tales in the Vernacular, &c. Kendal : 1900. Crown 8vo. 2/6.
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IOI.—[MORRIS (J. P.)]. COMMONPLACE BOOK [in the Barrow-in-Furness Public Library].

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- 102.—MURRAY'S HANDBOOK TO THE ENGLISH LAKES, included in the Counties of Cumberland, Westmorland and Lancashire. London : 8vo. pp. 160.
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> Contents :---" Amang t' Rowndheeads," "T' poor Miners i' Forness," "Cockles an' Fleeaks," "Smugglin' an' Wreckin," Anecdotes (8).

106.—Powley (MARY). ECHOES OF OLD CUM-BERLAND. Poems and Translations. London and Carlisle: 1875. Sm. cr. 8vo. pp. vii., 250. 5/-.

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- UTL-RELPH (JOSIAH). A CHOICE COLLECTION OF POEMS IN CUMBERLAND DIALECT.

(i)—" The Harvest, or Bashful Shepherd," a Pastoral by the Rev. Robert Nelson, late of Gt. Salkelk, nr. Penrith. (ii)—" Haytime, or the Constant Lovers," a Pastoral. (iii)—" St. Agnes Fast, or the Amorous Maiden," a Pastoral; and other subjects no less entertaining. Sunderland: N.D. 12mo.

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A Glossary is appended.

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Two Poems by Relph are given in West's Guide to the Lakes, 1821, and 1799 and 1793.

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— 1st and 2nd series. Carlisle : 1876.
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 — 2nd series. 1887. 3/6.

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> This translation was undertaken at the request of Prince Louis Lucien Napoleon. The song was also translated into the Dialects of Central Cumberland, East Cumberland, Northumberland, and Lancashire.

> "T' Sang o' Solomon" is interesting reading to Dialectlovers, and is a forcible reminder of the great number of good old words that are rapidly passing out of use. As showing the manner in which the Rev. John Richardson did his work. I quote a few verses from the fourth chapter, which may be compared with the authorized version by the uninitiated.

- 1.-Loo' the', thoo' fair, my luv; loo' the', thoo's fair; thoo 'as cushat cene inside thy locks: thy hair is like a flock o' goats as shew thersels frat moont Gilead.
- Thy teeth is like a flock o' sheep 'at 's ebm-clipt, 'at cu's up fra t weishin'; ivo'ry yan o' them a breeder o' twins, an' uin gelt among them.
- 3. -Thy lip is lip to three of scarlet, an' thy talk is good like; thy tendols is like a live of pumpranate inside thy locks.
- 1. Thy near ' life a toow'r o' David built for an armoury, thar' ther inne a theo and buckl'r?, o' shields o' gert men.
- Thy twoon breat is like twoon yung roes as is twins, 'at here along the like
- 6. That day mean it haddo flees away, I'll git me to t' fell o myrril, an to t' hill of franckincen se.
- 7.-Thoo'l fair o-ower, my luv; ther' 's neea spo' i' the'.

- II7.—[RITSON (ISAAC)]. BORROWDALE LETTER. Copy of a letter wrote by a Young Shepherd to his Friend in Borrowdale; a new edition; to which is added a Glossary of the Cumberland words. Penrith: 1788. 12mo. pp. 16.
- 118.—[RITSON (ISAAC)]. A COPY OF A LETTER, written by a Young Shepherd to his Friend in Borrowdale, with a Glossary of the Cumberland Words. Sm. 4to. N.D. Id.

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119.—[RITSON (ISAAC)]. THE CELEBRATED BORROWDALE LETTER IN THE CUM-BERLAND DIALECT, together with the Pastoral Dialogue [Gwordy and Will, by Charles Graham]. New and Revised Edition. Keswick: 1879. 2d.

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Numerous other editions of this Letter have been published and its popularity in Cumberland and Westmorland is such, that it may be said to be as familiar as any household word. 120.—ROBINSON (JACOB) and "SIDNEY GILPIN." WRESTLING & WRESTLERS. Biographical Sketches of Celebrated Athletes of the Northern Ring, to which is added Notes on Bull and Badger Baiting. Carlisle: 1893.

Contains Verses and Wrestling Lore in the Dialect.

121.—RIGBY (CUTHBERT). FROM MIDSUMMER TO MARTINMAS. A West Cumberland Idyl. London: 1891. 6/-.

Contains Dialect of Eskdale and Seathwaite.

- 122.—ROBISON (JACK). YAN ER TWO OALD TALES OWER AGEN. Kendal: 1882.
- 123.—" Säimath," *i.e.* [AUGUSTA A. VARTY-SMITH, of Penrith]. THE FAWCETTS AND GARRODS, a novel. London : N.D.
- 124.—SARGISSON (J.). JOE SCOAP'S JURNEH THROUGH THREE WARDLES. 1881.
- 125.—SEWART (JOHN). RHYMES IN THE WEST-MORLAND DIALECT. Settle: [1869].
- 126.—SMITH (JAMES, of Carlisle). SILLOTH, a Dialect Poem in "Guide to Silloth." Silloth : 1887. Id. —Silloth : 1899. Id.
- 127.—" DAFFIDOWDILLY" [Pseud. of JAMES SMITH, of Carlisle]. DIALECT LETTERS IN PROSE AND VERSE, contributed to the North Cumberland Reformer, now the Northern News, and Carlisle Express and Examiner.

The chief of these are "Standing Sam" in Denton Holme, "Drivin' the Divvel frae Dawston," "Notes on T' Corparashen Reaces," "Carel Crack," "Easter Thowts," "Free Edication," "Carel Codlins," "Web en's," &c.

### 128.—SONGS AND BALLADS OF CUMBERLAND, with Music by Wm. Metcalf. Carlisle.

	Words by—	
1.—" D'ye ken John Peel ?"	J. W. Graves.	4/
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### 129.—SONGS AND BALLADS OF CUMBERLAND. In MSS. Music composed by Wm. Metcalf, of Carlisle, and in his possession.

	Words by—
" And ye shall walk in silk attire."	Susanna Blamire.
"What ails this heart o' mine."	Susanna Blamire.
" Willie."	Susanna Blamire.
" Gwordie Gill."	Robert Anderson.
" My heart sinks wi' yon settin' sun."	George Dudson.
" Barley Broth."	Susanna Blamire.
" King Roger."	Robert Anderson.
" It's Nobbut Me."	John Richardson.
" Peggy Gill."	James A. Brown.

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In this volume at pp. 78-94 appears the story of the "Terrible Knitters e' Dent." The work appeared anonymously.

See also Specimens of Westmorland Dialect. Part I.

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132.—SPECIMENS OF THE DIALECTS OF WESTMORLAND, by the Rev. Thos. Clarke, Rector of Ormside, Wm. Bowness, and Robt. Southey. Part I. Kendal: 1868. 12mo. pp. 32. Contents :—

"T' Reysh Beearin," by Clarke.

- " Jonny Shippard's Journa ta Lunnan," by Clarke.
- " Jonny Shippard et Heeam," (2 parts), by Clarke.
- " Jimmy Green at Brough Hill Fair," by Bowness.
- "T' terrible Knitters e' Dent," by Southey.

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Contents :--

" Sammy Woer et lile Toon an' his Nebbers," by Clarke. "Butcher Man an' his Cofe."

"Butcher Man an his Cole."

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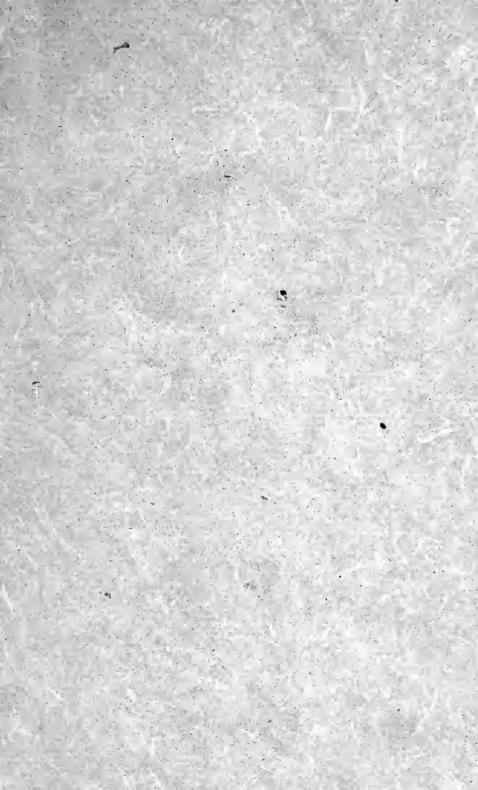
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